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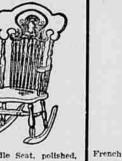
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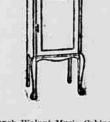




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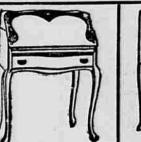


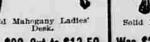














WOMEN MAKE INQUIRIES TO PROVE THEY ARE SISTERS.



MRS. MARTHA LAWRENCE. MRS. FANNY MILLER. Who believe they have discovered, after twenty years' friendship, that they are sisters and hope to inherit a fortune as a result.

rations to prove that Mrs. Miller is really

her long lost sister.

This action was taken by Mrs. Lawrence because there is a tract of land in Madison County and also in St. Clair County to they are which Mrs. Lawrence and her sister lay they are claim and they desire to have a clear legal wealthy.

UNDERSELL ST. LOUIS

Buyers Unanimous That the Local

Market Excels Those of

the East.

St. Louis wholesale merchants in ever

line have done more business in January and February than ever before, and not only have sales been larger, but a better quality of goods has been purchased. More retail merchants are now in the market than even the most sanguine jobber had

ed for. Employes at the various whole-

sale houses have been working night and day to keep up with the rush of business and the transportation facilities of the city have been taxed to keep up with the rush. One indication that Et. Louis is becoming

America's greatest market is found in the

way in which local jobbers are taking trade

Most Remarkable Remedy That

Quickly Restores Lost Vigor to Men.

To All Who Write.

LITTLE CHANCE TO

Mrs. Fanny Miller and Mrs. Martha
Lawrence of Bethalto, Ill., who knew each
other for twenty years before they were led
to believe that they were sisters, say that
their belief is strengthened by the investigations they have already made.

Mrs. Miller said that she is more certain
than ever that she is the sister whom Mrs.

Lawrence has been seeking for many years.

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Mrs. Miller said that she is more certain than ever that she is the sister whom Mrs. Lawrence has been seeking for many years. To guard against mistakes, Mrs. Lawrence, through her attorney, has started investigations to prove that Mrs. Miller is really formed to prove the most of the father of Mrs. Miller is said to be Samuel Hefton, the second husband of Mrs. Kuntz, and the father of Mrs. Kuntz, and the father of Mrs. Lawrence the Reverend D. R. Leigh, who was, at the time of his death, pastor of First Baptist Church at Decatur, Ill. The land which the sisters claim in Madison County is about 200 acres. They also claim the site of the National Stock Yards in St. Clair County. Both women say that they are more rejoiced to be reunited than they are at the prospect of becoming

to disappear

a careful comparison with Chicago prices and qualities, she made all her purchases in this city. In speaking of the market, Mrs. Saunders said: "I had no idea that St. Louis jobbers said: "I had no idea that St. Louis jobbers carried such immense stocks, and offered such a variety of goods. I have always purchased in Chicago, and believed that was the only market, but I find that St. Louis jobbers offer better goods at lower prices than I believed possible."

Among those who registered at the head-quarters of the Interstate Merchants Association yesterday were the following:

the enemies of the Republic Missouri. Minnie Dulaney, Moberly; Annie Sherry, Centralia; Miss N. Lowry, Keytesville; Mrs. R. Jones, Mount Vernon; R. Price Clinton; Laura Crales, Warsaw; D. Loeb, Cardwell; Flora Waters (ampbel; R. D. Keens, Oregon; Mary A. White, Warsaw; J. H. Savage, Sedalia; M. Frederick, Bevier. Arkausus.

Mrs. J. H. Malloy, Berryville; Birdle McClure, Batesvine; T. S. Maxifeld, Batesville; A. Berman, Mammoth Springs; C. M. Armietend, Conway; R. H. McKennon, Clarksville; W. J. White, Russellville; E. C. Simpson, Clinton; J. R. Mears, Eldorado; Dora Carson, Orkins; Mollie Barth, Searcy; Charles W. Garner, Searcy; S. W. Higginbottam, Fordyce; J. A. Couch, Fort Smith; S. Bertig, Paragould; F. E. Wenner, Nashville. Arkansas.

E. B. Fisher, Garrison; James L. Ford, Pittsburg; M. M. Ayers, Comanche; Mrs. B. Brown, Beaumont; Mrs. A. P. Hail, Burnet; Mrs. R. Kline, Beaumont; M. A. Cox, Bartlett; Miss. B. Lola Lewis, Bollinger; T. A. White, Mexia, L. B. Mewhinney, Holiand; Roy Simmons, Worthsm; Mrs. L. L. Logan, Taylor; A. T. Phillphrey, Collinsville; W. T. Cox, Bartlett; D. C. Reed, Bartram; B. L. Boystein, Baird; W. M. Ray, Lockhart; T. J. Campbell, Leoanon; S. E. Campbell, Leblanon; J. D. Brown, Granberry; J. D. Brown, Taylor; B. Dentser, Beaumont; J. S. Ardledge, Bonham; T. H. Nelson, Bnyder; Robert Graves, Sulphur Springs; R. V. Womack, Biossom; Charles Howard, Moody; J. A. Whaler, Monroe; R. W. Walton, Morran; M. Goldstein, Beaumont; Mrs. S. C. Allen, Marshall; L. T. Allday, Atlanta; R. L. Eston, Godos; E. F. Booty, Georgetown; Mrs. E. F. Rooty, Georgetown; Mrs. B. F. Rooty, Georgetown; Mrs. B. R. Gerold, McGregor; H. M. Russell, Pilot Point; S. Gorman, Seymour; J. C. Connor, Farmersville; H. Benedict, Whitewright; Joe Grace, Anson; A. D. Vinson, Seymour; B. S. Long, Corsienna; Clara Meadows, Comanche; J. S. House, Appleton; Samuel Wibracht, Kansas City; M. Smith, Clinton; M. J. Scott, Cooper; D. A. Russell, Pilottsburg; F. G. Thompson, Marshall,

every other large jobbing center in the country. This market is daily extending the limits of the territory in which her merchants self goods, and buyers recognize that St. Louis jobbers cannot be undersold. Mrs. M. J. Saunders of Carthage, Mo., who buying a stock of general merchandisc on her way to Chicago, where she had al-ways purchased her goods, stopped in St. Louis for a day's rest and was induced by local jobbers to look at their stocks. After **SENT FREE TO MEN**

Indian Territory. D. McCow, Caddo; L. C. Adams, Newkirk; M. R. Lowenstein, Ardmore; J. B. Brown, Mus-Oklahoma.

D. Rabners, Blackwell; Ida McConnell, Enid; W. J. Moore, Caddo; J. M. Weiborn, Geary. Illinois. Gussie Smith, Waverly; Mrs. C. C. Clements, Stonington; Lizzie Zeider, Stonington; M. Beat-tie, Pittsieldi; Vic Spiller, Marion; Della Bur-nett, Marion; Miss A. Heitkamp, Hoyleton. A Free Trial Package Sent By Mail

Iowa. Viola Stramblad, Des Moines, Mrs. M. Bowers, Mobile.

F. M. McCormick, Colliston.

Kansas. G. W. Denton, Chetopa; H. H. Loomis, Belle-

Free trial packages of a most remarkable remedy are being mailed to all who will write the State Medical Institute. They cured so many men who had battled for years against the mental and physical suffering of lost manhood that the institute has decided to distribute free trial packages to all who write. It is a home treatment, and all men who suffer with any form of excual weakness, resulting from youthful folly, premature loss of strength and memory, weak back, varicocole or emaciation of parts can how cure themselves at home.

The remedy has a peculiarly grateful effect of warmth and seems to act direct to the desired location, giving strength and development just where it is needed. It cures all the ills and froubles that come from years of misuse of the New Station for Atlanta, Ga.
Atlanta will likely in the near future have a handsome new passenger station. It will be built by the Southern Railway Company. For several years the question of building a new, modern main station at Atlanta has been discussed and agitated by the railroads entering that city and by the citizens. Elaborate plans were drawn for the proposed building, and that is as far as the work went. The property on which the present depot is located is owned by the Western and Atlantic road. The Western and Atlantic is owned by the State of Georgia. In the last session of the Georgia Legislature a bill was introduced appropriating money with which the State was to build a depot and lease it to the various roads entering Atlanta. The bill was, however, defeated.

The Southern Railway has now decided to build a passenger station on property owned by that company. The other roads will be invited to use the new denot when it is completed. where it is needed. It cures all the ills and troubles that come from years of misuse of the natural functions and has been an absolute success in all cases. A request to the State Medical Institute, CI Elektron building, Fort Wayne, Ind., stating that you desire one of their free trial packages will be compiled with promptly. The institute is desirous of reaching that great class of men who are unable to leave home to be treated, and the free sample will enable them to see how easy it is to be cured of sexual weakness when the proper remedies are employed. The institute makes no restrictions. Any man who writes will be sent a free sample, carefully sealed a a plain package, so that its recipient need have to fear of embarrassment or publicity. Readers are requested to write without delay.

TRYING TO EVERTURN THE FRENCH CABINET.

So Far as to Vote for Radical Socialist Measures.

Latter Turn Conservatives and Change Their Programme "To Avoid Traps of the Republic's Enemies."

BY J. CORNELY. SPECIAL BY CABLE.

Paris, March 2.-(Copyright, 1901, by the New York Herald Company.)-M. Waldeck-Rousseau recovered from his grip and M.

finally been voted. M. Aynard, who took the place of M. Deschanel, permitted a scandalous proposition of a radical Deputy named Klotz, a proposition which imposed a progressive to the state of the dividing line between two extremes of weather. All through the Northern States it is cloudy and disagreeable, while delightfully clear, mild weather prevails in the South. absence, apropos of the budget, which has a progressive tax on successions up to 64 per cent on large fortunes. This surprise was due to the maneuvers of the Right. The TO REDUCE ARCHITECT'S PAY. DEMOCRATS NAME A TICKET. Rightists, exasperated by the way the debate on the association bill was going, resolved to vote for everything that it would please Socialists to imagine in order to overturn the Cabinet. It was for this reason that they voted for the Klotz proposition, which would cause the fortunes of the greater part of the members of the Right

Playing a Dangerous Game. This is a very dangerous game that they are playing—a game which they will certrinly pay for when the turn of fortune's wheel shall have placed them in a position to receive the treatment which they inflict on others to-day. The scandal caused by this attitude has not disgusted the Right with this policy. They tried to resume it this week in connection with the interpel-lation to be brought in by the Socialists, but then a curious thing took place. As fast as Conservatives become Revolutionists Revolutionists become Conservatives. The Socialist group met and decided not to sup-port the interpellation of its members in order to avoid the traps and ambushes of

order to avoid the traps and ambushes of the enemies of the Republic.

The Nationalists naturally accuse the Socialists of being swindlers and unfaithful to their programme. This reproach is somewhat humorous, coming from persons who have themselves given up all their principles with the avowed object of overthrowing a government. This is because the Socialists wish to see the associations bill pass and the Right desire to delay this by every possible means, as they understand that the day the Cabinet falls will be the day of the immediate burying of the bill and the signal for the reaction, the extent of which it is impossible to calculate.

This law, which is again under the direction of the Premier, who replies to all amendments, will soon reach the point which is the most contested and the most contested and the property. It is on this that the great assault will be made and the great battle waged.

This discussion has rendered everybody most excited and the state of irritation has become such that it this week took the form of a tremendous uproar in connection with talk about the death of Louis XVI. One speaker described it as "assassination," and the extreme Left let themselves go to such an extent that they reproached President Deschanel for not having rebuked the speaker. M. Deschanel, who would have preferred to be still on his honeymoon, got out of it as best he could—rather badly than otherwise. None but Frenchmen can play jokes of such a nature.

Another amusing incident is the con-

nature.

Another amusing incident is the complaint of M. De oulede, who, in a speech at St. Bastlen, pretended that on the eve of Felix Faure's funeral and the Deroulede attempt to suborn the army, a royalist emissary came to him and asked what he would do if the Duc d'Orleans appeared on the scene.
"I would arrest him myself," replied M.

"I would arrest him myself," replied al. Deroulede.

Thereupon, according to the story, the emissary went away and told everything to the government, which changed the position of the troops and spoiled the scheme. Every one at once asked who the emissary was, and denials have begun to flow in concerning every name cited. All this is an innocent game, for Deroulede's attempt was infantile and was bound to meet with failure.

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The various strikes with which we are being favored continue their course, with varying success. The tailors and dressmakers are going back to work. The workmen of Saone et Loire will probably do the same thing, although a general strike has been proclaimed. But the dock laborers of Port Marseilles have only just begun their strike. They will be content only when they are deprived of their means of livelihood.

B. & O. Relief Department. The Baltimore and Ohio relief department has been in operation twenty years, and at the close of its last fiscal year had a membership of 34.672. During the year the railroad company contributed a total of 348,581.54 to funds of the several departments. The receipts of the last fiscal year from all sources were 81.286,571.82. This includes the amount brought forward from preceding years. The disbursements of the year were 5740,760.54. Out of the amount loaned to employes 1,268 houses have been built, 1,376 houses purchased, 320 houses already owned improved and liens on 772 houses released. The last fiscal year an extra dividend of 1½ per cent was declared to all depositors in the savings feature, making 5½ per cent for the year. J. V. McNeale, formerly with the Iudiana. Decatur & Western as its auditor, is now treasurer of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company, and is chairman of the relief department. The Baltimore and Ohio relief departmen

"WINTER IS NEARLY OVER," SAYS FORECASTER HYATT.

Rightists Carry Their Opposition | Weather Man Predicts That Mild Days Will Be the Rule Through March, in Spite of Old Saying—Outlook for the South and Southwest.

> Local Forecaster R. J. Hyatt says that "The barometer is highest over the Up-the winter has about departed, and that per Lake Region, the Pacific and Central the citizens of St. Louis may safely lay Gulf States, and lowest over the North heavy overcoats and other cold-er garments.
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> Atlantic and South Pacific States and the Northwest. Precipitation occurred princiweather garments.
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> He intimates that there may be a few

Rousseau recovered from his grip and and paul Deschanel returned from his honeymoon and simultaneously reappeared in the chamber on Monday.

Which will prevan throughout region.

"For St. Louis the outlook is unsettled, but we probably will have light showers and varying winds; moderate temperature, and indian Territory—to-morrow and Monday. For Missouri it will be cancerally fair to-night, growing a little Partly cloudy, with probability of light be generally fair to-night, growing a little cooler in the extreme Western part. St. Louis is just on the dividing line between Oklahoma-Fair, with light, northwesterly

pally over portions of the Atlantic, Pacific cold days yet to come, but that they will States. Ohio Valley, Lake Region and come singly and that the mercury will not Northern Rocky Mountain slope, with go down as far as freezing point. The sun, heavy rains in Florida. Moderate temperahe says, is getting well over head and making its heat felt in this locality.

"In spite of the old saying about March
coming in like a lamb and going out like a
lion, I do not believe that we will have any

Illinois—Partly cloudy to-day and to-mor-

llinois—Partly cloudy to-day and to-mormore blustering wintry weather this season," he said yesterday. "Signs have failed us right along this year, and I have lost faith in them. Even the ground hog disappointed us. The indications now all point in the direction of warm showers, which will prevail throughout this entire region.

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State Capitol Bill Discussed in Nominations for Township Offices Arkansas House.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Little Rock, Ark., March 2.—The State Capitol bill was up for discussion in the House to-day. Mr. Campbell of Pulaski offered an amendment reducing the pay of the architect from 5 to 3 per cent. In supporting his amendment, Mr. Campbell said 3 per cent was ample pay for the work yet to be done. The bill and amendment were referred to the Committee on Public Buildings.

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The House got into a lively rumpus over
a bill to prohibit women from holding clerical positions in the Senate and House. After several speeches of a humorous nature,
the bill was defeated, only ten votes being
cast for its passage.

The bill extending the charter of the
Arkansas and Northwestern Railroad Company was passed unanimously.

Mr. Gill proposed a joint resolution
amending the State Constitution to do away
with biennial elections, and substituting
elections every four years.

The bill inrioduced by Mr. Minturn of
Washington providing for the posting of
copies of proposed constitutional amendments in booths on election day also
passed.

passed.

The Senate was not in session to-day. President Saloman Noncommittal. New York, March 2.—Chairman Saloman of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Com-pany refused to confirm or deny the report that his company has acquired the Cleve-land, Lorain and Wheeling property.

Made at Mass Meeting.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Edwardsville, Ill., March 2.—A mass meeting of Democrats was held at the Courthouse to-night, over 600 being present. The following township ticket was nominated: following township ticket was nominated:
For Assistant Supervisors, William Dickman and August Kienlen; Town Clerk,
Henry Dierkes; Assessor, E. W. Mudge;
Collector, August Seizer; Highway Commissioners, Ben Epping and S. J. Stubbs; Constables, D. Hentz, L. Weller, C. A. Cowan,
John Glass and J. W. Buckley; Justice of
the Peace, J. W. Terry, John Hogson,
Charles Womack, C. H. Figge and S. T.
Sanders; School Trustee, Charles Rowekamp.

The election will be April 2.

Presidential Nominations. Washington, March 2.—The President to-day sent the following nominations to the

Jule K. Hartley of Missoula, Mont., to be Jule K. Hartley of Missoula, Mont., to be a Mineral Land Commissioner in Montana. Navy—Thomas C. Wood, formerly a Lieutenant, for an advancement of eight numbers; George H. Norman, Jr., formerly a Lieutenant (junior grade), for an advancement of eight numbers; John T. Edson, formerly an ensign, for an advancement of one number; John F. Bransford, formerly an Assistant Surgeon, for an advancement of one number; Alex. Brown, formerly an Assistant Paymaster, for an advancement of one number.

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NEWS OF THE CITY CHURCHES.

Noonday Lenten Services-Doctor Tyrrell's Lecture.

The Reverend Doctor J. R. Winchester, rector of the Episcopal Church of the Ascension, preached yesterday at the noon-day Lenten services in progress at No. 720 Olive street. His text was, "Is not this a brand plucked from the fire"?

The German Evangelical Protestant Church of the Holy Ghost, Page and Grand avenues, will hold its first English service this evening at 7:30. This is the oldest church of the denomination in the city, and its pastor, the Reverend Doctor P. Ilgen, will preach. The church was organized in 1834, and was formerly located at the corner of Eighth and Walnut streets. The meeting will be open to the public.

The St. Louis division of the Boys' and Girls' National Home and Employment As-sociation is called to meet in the Holland building, next Tuesday afternoon, March 5,

at 4 o'clock. The special purpose of the meeting is to plan for the resubmission of the curfew ordinance to the City Council President Hogeland of the National Association will address the meeting.

The Reverend Doctor Frank G. Tyrrell, pastor of Mount Cabanne Christian Church, will lecture next Tuesday evening on "An Evening With James Whitcomb Riley and Eugene Field." Mrs. John Haskins and Harry E. Wagoner will sing.

ACCIDENTALLY KILLS BROTHER.

Boys Playing With Pistol When M Is Discharged.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Florence, Ala., March 2.—Chester Waits a 13-year-old boy was shot with a pistol by an 18-year-old brother and was killed. The boys were handling the pistol when the shooting occurred, which is thought to have been accidental. The older brother has left for parts unknown, but will not be arrested, as the family say it was accidental. The bullet entered the stomach and death resulted in a short time.

Can't Sleep?

Did you ever have that feeling of oppression, like a weight on your chest, or a load of cobblestones in your stomach, keeping you awake nights with a horrible sensation of anxiety, or tossing restlessly in terrible dreams, that make the cold perspiration break out all over you? That's insomnia, or sleeplessness, and some unfortunates suffer with it night after night, until their reason is in danger and they are on the edge of going mad. The cause of this fearful ailment is in the stomach and bowels, and a Cascaret taken at night will soon bring relief and give the sufferer sweet, refreshing sleep. Always insist on getting CASCARETS!



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